

**State of California  
Department of Parks and Recreation**

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
1416 Ninth Street  
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Sacramento, CA 94296-0001

**PROJECT TITLE:** Geotechnical Investigation

**LOCATION:** Pfeiffer Big Sur State Park

**COUNTY:** Monterey

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:**

Conduct separate geotechnical investigations within park entrance area and proposed locations for two new bridges at Pfeiffer Big Sur State Park. Investigation methods will include seismic refraction and soil borings at various locations. Project provides subsurface geological data necessary for development of future infrastructure improvements.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Monterey District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

- ☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))  
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))  
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section: )  
☒ Categorical Exemption

Class: 6                      Section: 15306

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

Project consists of basic data collection, which will not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource.

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**Lynn Rhodes, District Superintendent**

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